

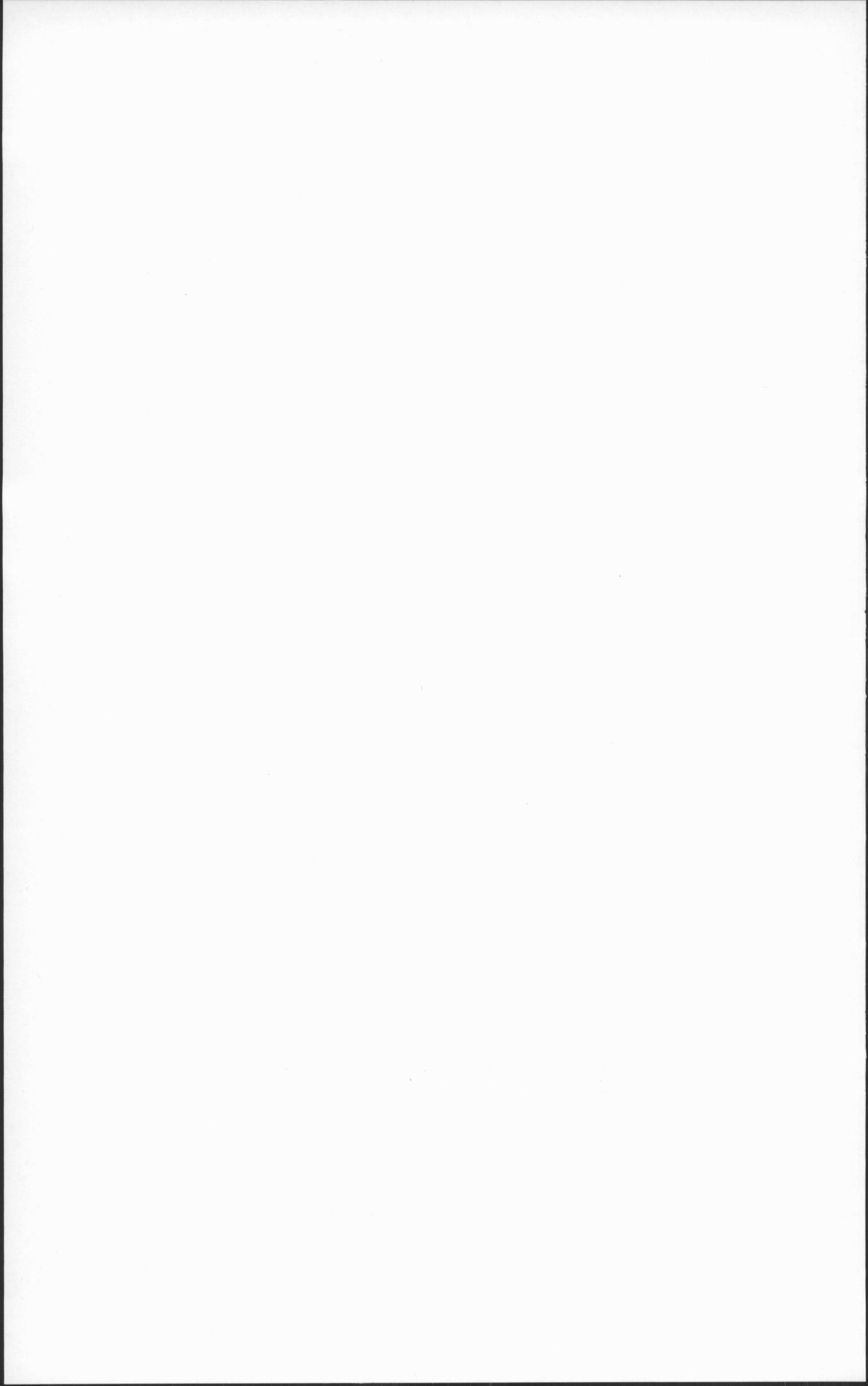
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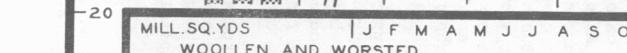
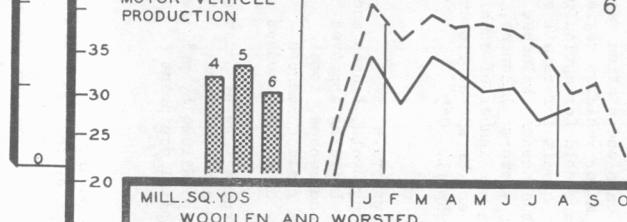
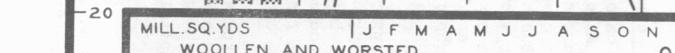
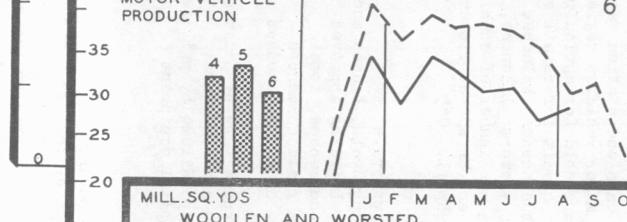
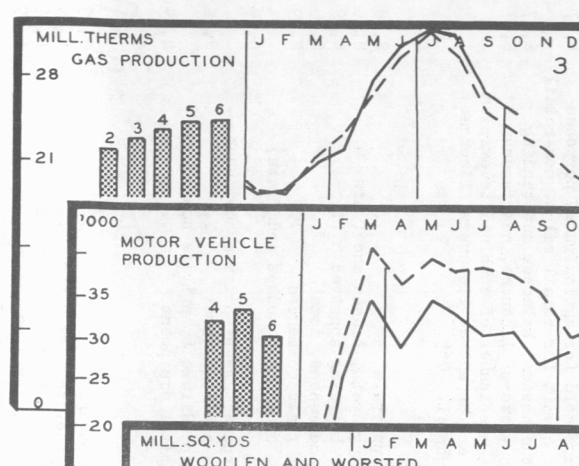
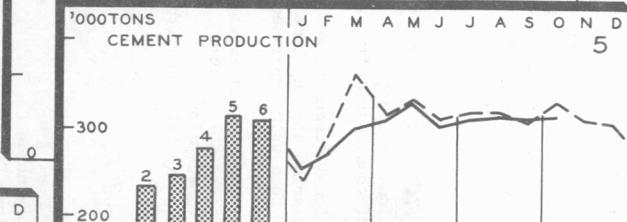
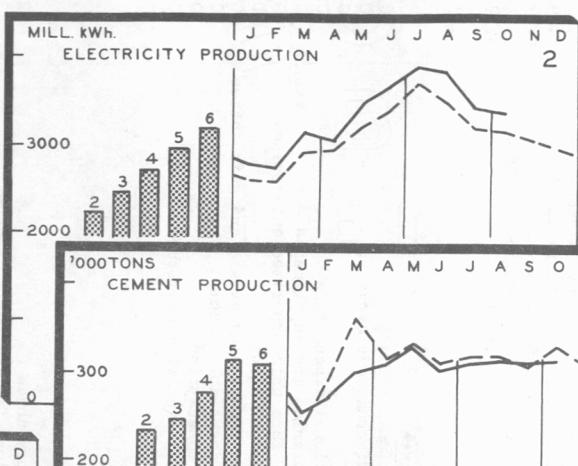
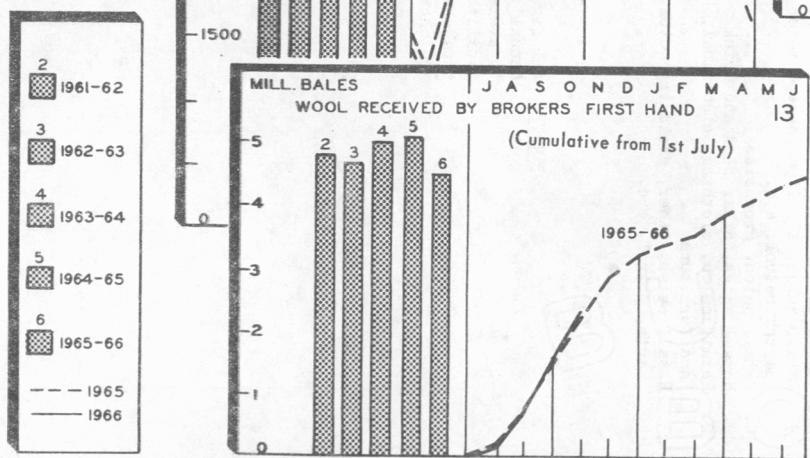
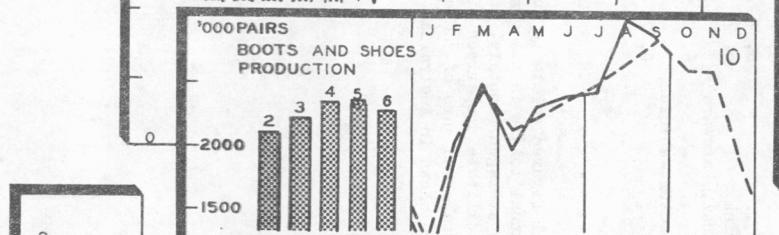
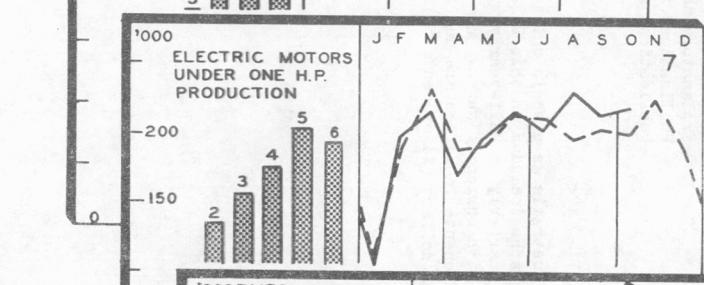
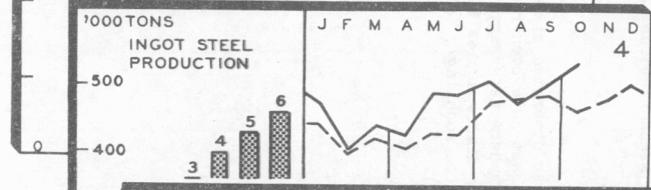
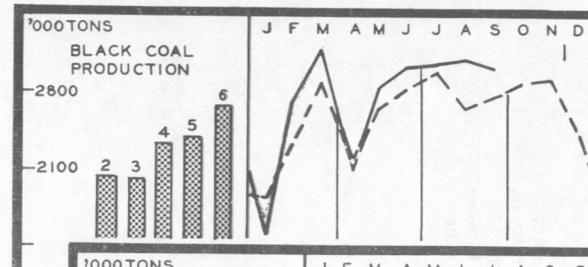
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		1961-62	1962-63	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66		Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
PRODUCTION, ETC.																			
1. BLACK COAL PRODUCTION	"000 tons	24,427	24,301	26,856	**28,921	*32,298	1965 *1966	1,844 1,505	2,365 2,775	2,920 3,201	2,104 2,186	2,675 2,834	2,846 3,046	2,995 3,070	2,661 3,126	2,777 3,038	2,893	2,935	2,490
2. ELECTRICITY PRODUCTION	mill.kWh	26,275	29,279	32,519	**35,671	*38,237	*1965 *1966	Ø2,622 2,790	2,599 2,744	Ø2,950 3,130	2,936 3,041	Ø3,200 3,491	3,373 3,667	3,678 3,911	3,471 Ø3,836	3,151 3,432	3,107 3,375	3,049	2,917
3. GAS PRODUCTION	mill.therms	264.1	272.7	282.6	**292.1	*290.7	*1965 *1966	18.6 18.2	18.1 18.4	21.0 21.1	23.1 22.2	26.7 27.8	29.6 30.7	31.9 33.0	29.6 31.5	25.2 26.7	23.5 25.2	22.1	20.0
4. INGOT STEEL PRODUCTION (a)	'000 tons	4,076	4,260	4,764	*5,021	*5,561	*1965 *1966	Ø431 475	Ø388 401	Ø410 441	Ø396 424	Ø420 491	425 489	477 509	485 480	488 504	464 541	484	505
5. CEMENT PRODUCTION	'000 tons	2,783	2,942	3,320	*3,746	*3,667	*1965 *1966	240 253	288 276	359 303	317 308	333 329	310 302	321 314	321 319	307 315	330 316	311	305
6. MOTOR VEHICLE PRODUCTION	'000	(b)	(b)	389.2	*403.7	*365.6	*1965 *1966	15.6 10.7	29.8 25.6	40.7 34.7	36.4 29.2	39.7 34.8	38.2 33.1	38.4 30.9	37.5 31.4	35.9 27.2	30.4 28.1	31.6	23.5
7. ELECTRIC MOTORS UNDER ONE H.P., PRODUCTION	'000	1,618	1,846	2,110	*2,466	*2,322	*1965 *1966	111.6 104.3	195.9 197.4	232.6 216.6	189.3 167.6	192.7 197.5	215.1 218.2	209.4 Ø204.4	196.4 229.4	203.4 213.6	199.5 218.9	223.2	188.1
8. COTTON WOVEN CLOTH PRODUCTION (Excluding Towels and Towelling)	'000 sq.yds	45,627	47,088	53,354	*56,671	*55,846	*1965 *1966	1,920 2,037	4,359 4,405	4,835 5,131	4,547 4,851	5,243 5,141	4,937 5,152	5,084 5,129	5,219 5,333	4,913 5,535	5,249 4,931	5,099	3,564
9. WOOLLEN AND WORSTED WOVEN CLOTH PRODUCTION (excluding Blanketing)	'000 sq.yds	24,991	28,227	23,714	*24,456	*23,347	*1965 *1966	1,343 1,159	2,275 2,035	2,516 2,345	1,949 1,636	2,034 1,848	2,003 1,755	1,960 1,635	2,014 1,787	2,143 1,868	2,279 1,883	2,346	1,827
10. BOOTS AND SHOES PRODUCTION	'000 pairs	25,214	26,687	28,241	Ø28,608	Ø27,645	*1965 *1966	1,239 Ø987	2,100 Ø1,978	2,515 2,466	2,185 Ø2,994	2,284 Ø2,373	2,410 Ø2,423	Ø2,549 Ø2,499	Ø2,705 Ø3,037	Ø2,900 2,903	Ø2,651 Ø2,499	Ø2,645	Ø1,974
11. MEAT PRODUCTION	'000 tons	1,498.2	1,621.8	1,682.5	1,712.1	*1,639.7	*1965 *1966	134.6 118.2	131.4 132.3	156.8 158.3	146.7 140.3	142.8 159.5	147.7 158.4	136.7 143.1	128.0 137.2	127.1 131.5	125.9	131.5	123.7
12. WHOLE MILK PRODUCTION, ALL PURPOSES	mill.gals	1,444	1,468	1,496	*1,521	*1,516	*1965 *1966	Ø155.2 149.6	Ø118.8 114.6	101.5 106.5	Ø75.7 88.7	Ø68.8 75.4	Ø66.5 70.6	82.6 89.6	120.1 132.4	158.9 166.6	188.1	183.3	177.5
13. WOOL RECEIVED BY BROKERS, FIRST HAND Cumulative from 1st July	'000 bales	4,798	4,693	4,996	5,090	4,510	1965 1966	3,730 3,369	3,979 3,585	4,394 3,909	4,669 4,134	4,912 4,354	5,090 4,510	292 232	749 734	1,521 1,524	2,256 2,306	2,907	3,214
14. VALUE OF GREASY WOOL SOLD BY BROKERS Cumulative from 1st July	\$ mill.	671.8	715.0	890.0	735.6	709.2	1965 1966	433.6 394.1	507.8 465.4	585.4 557.2	605.0 579.0	679.2 659.7	735.6 709.2	21.0 22.2	47.4 52.9	124.0 133.0	192.6 208.2	264.4	329.4
15. WOOL PRICE INDEX, SYDNEY cents per lb.greasy		45.1	48.6	56.7	48.0	50.3	1965 1966	46.0 51.0	47.0 51.0	44.0 52.0	44.0 +53.0	45.0 53.0	45.0 53.0	46.0 53.0	46.0 52.0	47.0 *50.0	49.0 *48.0	51.0	51.0

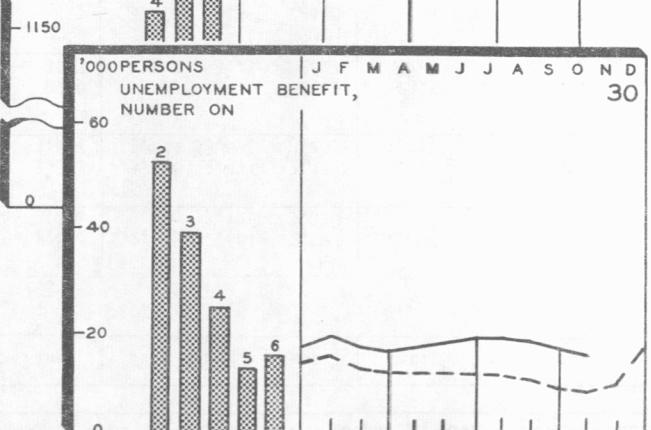
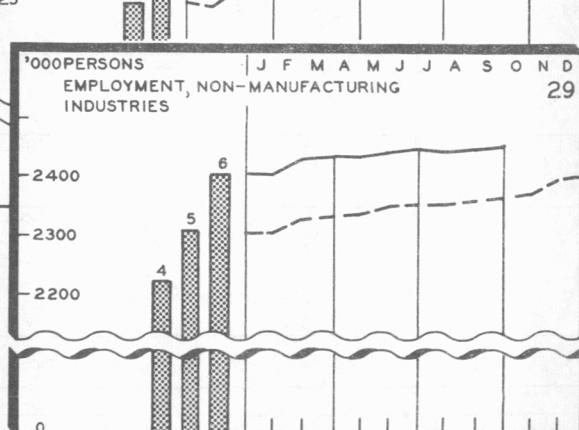
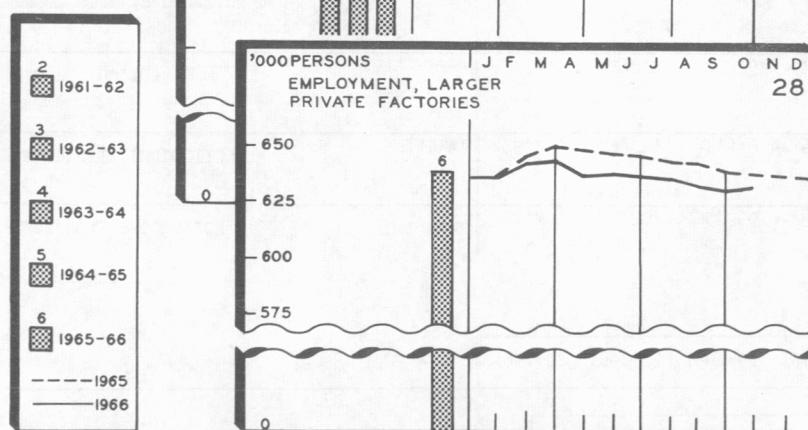
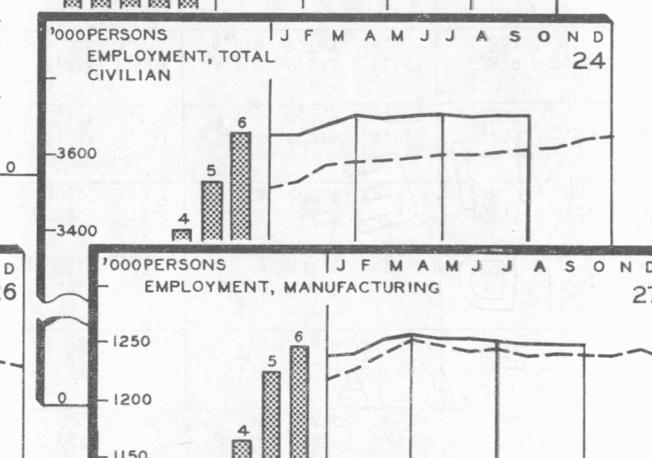
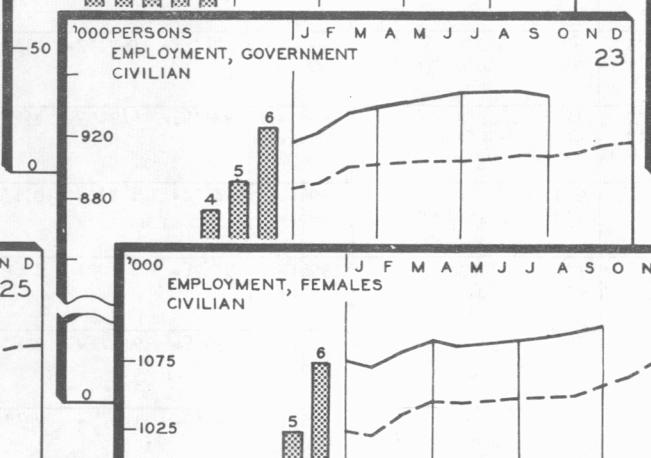
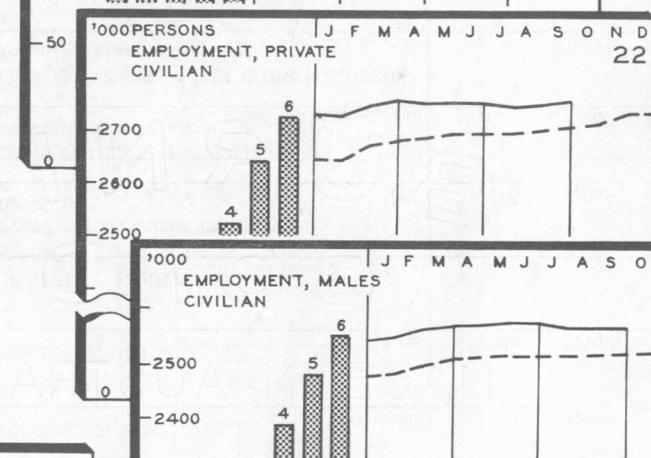
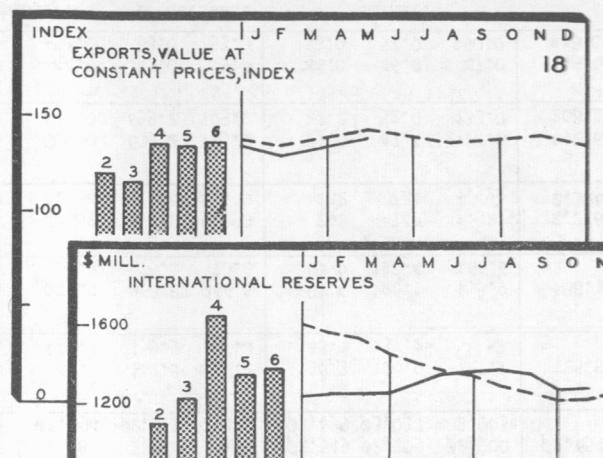
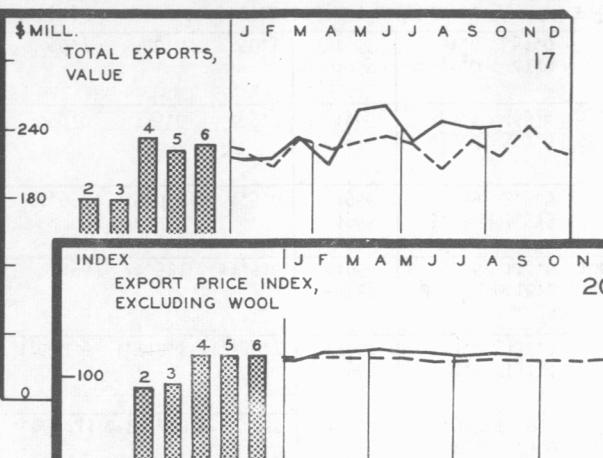
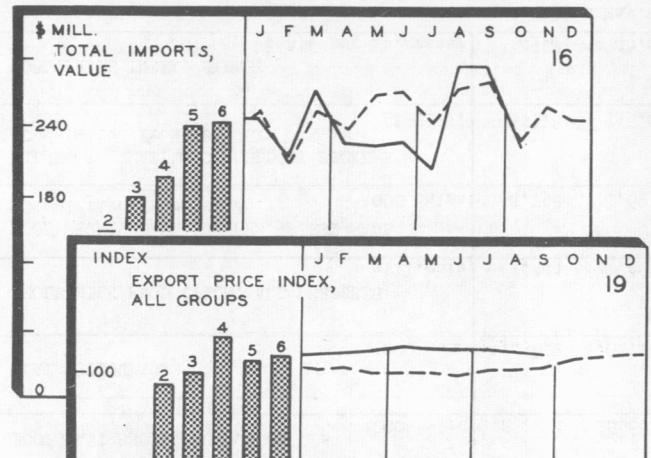
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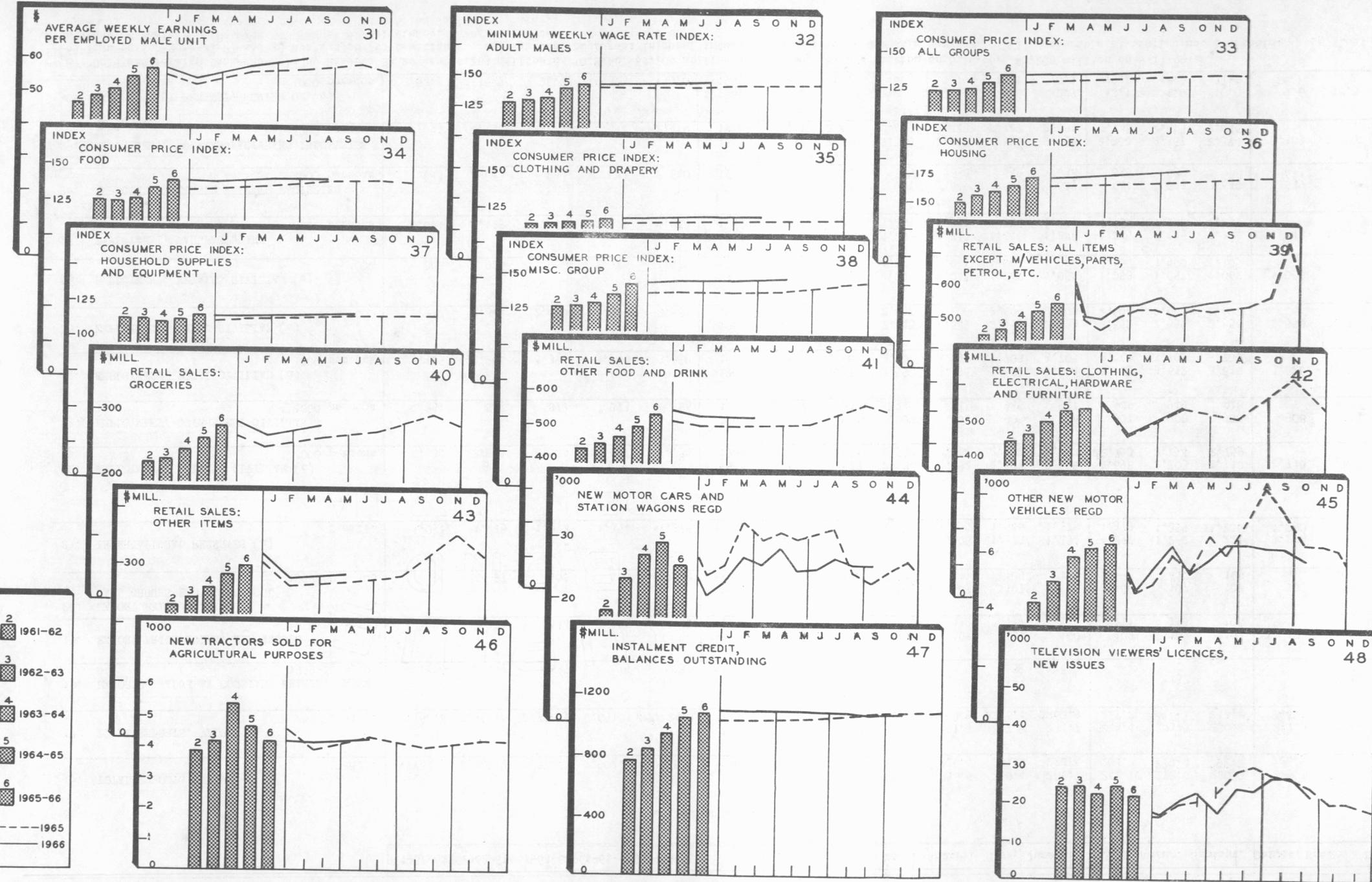


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OVERSEA TRADE																		
16. TOTAL IMPORTS, VALUE \$ mill.	1,769.5	2,162.7	2,372.7	2,904.7	*2,938.6	1965 *1966	252.6 246.8	207.2 214.9	252.2 270.6	236.6 226.5	268.4 221.9	269.7 228.5	242.1 204.7	272.6 292.4	280.9 292.2	229.5 226.5	257.5	246.8
17. TOTAL EXPORTS, VALUE \$ mill.	2,154.6	2,151.8	2,782.5	2,651.4	*2,724.1	1965 *1966	220.7 212.2	207.2 213.8	232.4 232.6	221.3 208.9	227.9 256.4	234.7 260.9	225.4 227.2	203.3 247.3	230.2 243.4	217.3 244.1	242.7	220.2
18. EXPORTS, VALUE AT CONSTANT PRICES, INDEX 1959-60 = 100	120	117	137	135	*137	1965 *1966		135 130			143 139			*137			*140	
19. EXPORT PRICE INDEX, ALL GROUPS 1959-60 = 100	96	101	114	105	*107	1965 *1966	102 108	103 109	101 110	101 112	101 111	100 111	102 111	102 110	103 108	106	107	*108
20. EXPORT PRICE INDEX, ALL GROUPS EXCLUDING WOOL 1959-60 = 100	96	97	108	108	*108	1965 *1966	107 108	107 110	107 110	107 111	107 109	*105 109	106 108	107 110	107 109	107	106	*108
21. INTERNATIONAL RESERVES (a) \$ mill.	1,097	1,225	1,672	1,354	*1,375	1965 *1966	1,566 1,251	1,549 1,252	1,452 1,254	1,406 1,300	1,373 1,366	1,354 1,375	1,297 1,379	1,262 1,359	1,221 1,286	1,224 1,290	1,261	1,239
EMPLOYMENT (b)																		
22. EMPLOYMENT, PRIVATE CIVILIAN (c) '000 persons	2,334	2,421	2,524	2,647	2,735	1965 1966	2,647 2,733	2,673 2,751	2,690 2,761	2,692 2,754	2,697 2,757	2,698 2,757	2,698 2,753	2,703 2,754	2,710 2,759	2,718	2,738	2,736
23. EMPLOYMENT, GOVERNMENT CIVILIAN '000 persons	831	847	872	893	924	1965 1966	893 922	901 936	903 941	904 943	905 945	906 947	907 949	908 949	908 948	908	913	917
24. EMPLOYMENT, TOTAL CIVILIAN (c) '000 persons	3,165	3,268	3,396	3,540	3,659	1965 1966	3,540 3,655	3,574 3,687	3,593 3,702	3,596 3,697	3,602 3,703	3,604 3,705	3,605 3,701	3,612 3,704	3,618 3,707	3,626	3,651	3,653
25. EMPLOYMENT, MALES CIVILIAN (c) '000	2,277	2,342	2,428	2,513	2,581	1965 1966	2,519 2,581	2,537 2,594	2,545 2,607	2,549 2,606	2,553 2,609	2,553 2,608	2,552 2,604	2,555 2,603	2,556 2,602	2,558	2,572	2,576
26. EMPLOYMENT, FEMALES CIVILIAN (c) '000	888	926	968	1,027	1,078	1965 1966	1,020 1,074	1,038 1,088	1,048 1,095	1,047 1,091	1,049 1,094	1,051 1,096	1,053 1,097	1,057 1,100	1,062 1,105	1,069	1,079	1,077
27. EMPLOYMENT, MANUFACTURING '000 persons	1,081	1,129	1,172	1,228	1,249	1965 1966	1,228 1,244	1,244 1,256	1,253 1,261	1,249 1,254	1,246 1,256	1,246 1,254	1,245 1,252	1,245 1,252	1,244 1,251	1,243	1,246	1,241
28. EMPLOYMENT, LARGER PRIVATE FACTORIES '000 persons	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)	640	1965 1966	637 636	646 643	651 645	649 638	647 639	647 638	644 636	643 633	640 632	639	638	636
29. EMPLOYMENT, NON-MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES (c) '000 persons	2,084	2,139	2,224	2,312	2,410	1965 1966	2,312 2,411	2,330 2,431	2,340 2,439	2,347 2,443	2,356 2,447	2,358 2,451	2,360 2,448	2,367 2,451	2,374 2,456	2,383	2,405	2,412
30. UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT, NUMBER ON (e) '000 persons	52.3	38.9	25.0	13.3	15.0	1965 1966	15.8 19.6	13.7 17.6	12.0 16.8	12.3 17.6	12.6 18.1	12.7 19.1	12.1 19.2	11.0 18.6	10.0 17.6	9.6 16.1	10.5	17.6

(a) "Gold and Foreign Exchange held by Reserve Bank" was \$1,263 million on 10.8.66, \$1,206 million on 14.9.66, \$1,204 million on 5.10.66, \$1,209 million on 9.11.66.

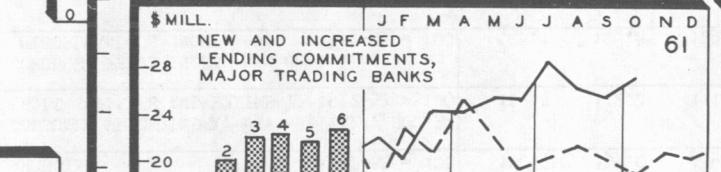
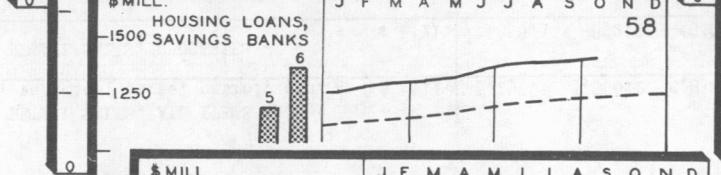
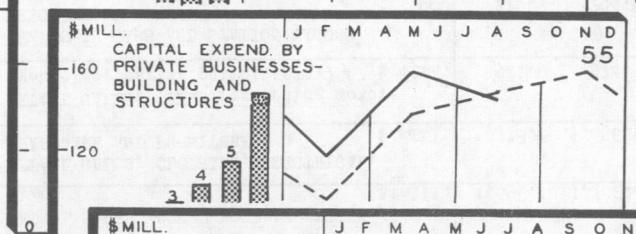
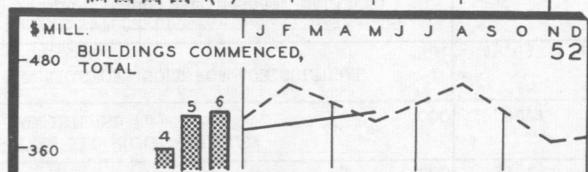
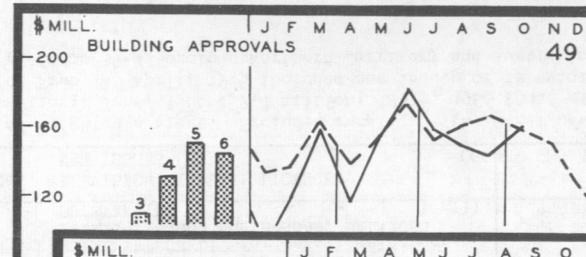
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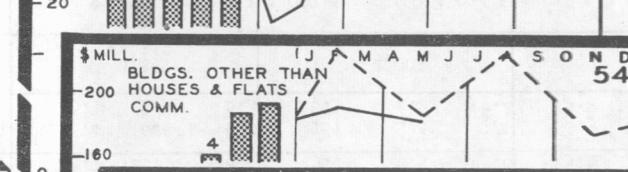
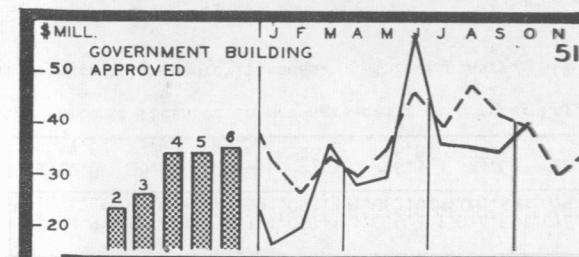
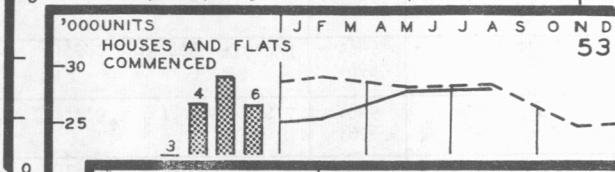
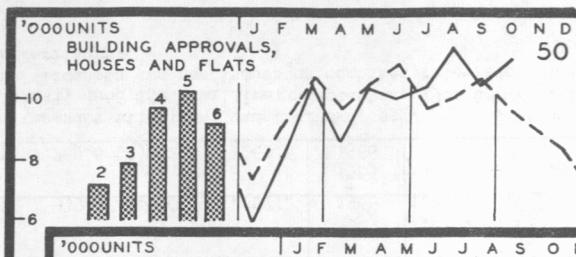


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WAGES, RETAIL PRICES																				
31. AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS PER EMPLOYED MALE UNIT	\$ 47.20	48.40	50.90	54.60	57.00	1965 1966	52.20 54.60			55.80 57.70			56.80 *60.00			59.00				
32. MINIMUM WEEKLY WAGE RATE INDEX, ADULT MALES (a) 1954 = 100	129.5	130.1	133.5	140.6	144.3	1965 1966	140.7 144.4	140.7 144.4	141.3 144.5	141.6 144.7	141.8 145.3	141.8 145.4	143.3	143.6	143.9	144.0	144.2	144.3		
33. CONSUMER PRICE INDEX, six capitals, ALL GROUPS 1952-53 = 100	124.3	124.5	125.7	130.4	135.2	1965 1966		130.9 135.4		132.1 136.5			133.5 137.1			135.2				
34. CONSUMER PRICE INDEX, six capitals, FOOD 1952-53 = 100	125.5	124.3	126.0	133.0	139.3	1965 1966		133.1 138.4		135.9 139.8			139.3 139.7			139.5				
35. CONSUMER PRICE INDEX, six capitals CLOTHING AND DRAPERY 1952-53 = 100	112.8	113.2	114.0	115.6	117.0	1965 1966		115.8 116.9		116.3 118.0			116.3 118.2			116.6				
36. CONSUMER PRICE INDEX, six capitals, HOUSING 1952-53 = 100	150.7	155.0	159.6	165.0	171.9	1965 1966		165.3 172.4		167.2 175.3			168.6 176.6			171.4				
37. CONSUMER PRICE INDEX, six capitals, HOUSEHOLD SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT 1952-53 = 100	112.7	112.4	111.0	111.9	113.8	1965 1966		112.5 113.7		112.9 114.5			113.4 114.7			113.7				
38. CONSUMER PRICE INDEX, six capitals, MISCELLANEOUS GROUP 1952-53 = 100	128.1	128.8	129.9	136.1	142.5	1965 1966		137.3 144.7		137.3 144.8			137.8 146.9			142.7				
INTERNAL TRADE																				
39. RETAIL SALES, ALL ITEMS except motor vehicles, parts, petrol, etc. / \$ mill.	5,257.1	5,506.2	5,836.0	*6,230.9	*6,539.1	*1965 *1966	491.7 503.2	461.4 490.7	503.0 530.1	522.1 534.9	524.7 558.4	502.8 ¹ 531.0	525.0 534.9	513.6 548.3	523.5 551.5	538.4	559.6	730.7		
40. RETAIL SALES, GROCERIES / \$ mill.	858.3	892.0	*940.0	*1,014.4	*1,095.2	*1965 *1966		241.8 260.5			256.1 274.5			267.0		293.2				
41. RETAIL SALES, OTHER FOOD AND DRINK / \$ mill.	1,698.1	1,782.4	*1,851.4	*1,972.1	*2,105.5	*1965 *1966		494.3 524.0		487.3 522.2			498.9			560.4				
42. RETAIL SALES, CLOTHING, ELECTRICAL, HARDWARE AND FURNITURE / \$ mill.	1,778.8	1,856.9	*1,993.5	*2,116.1	*2,141.3	*1965 *1966		456.5 461.2		537.4 541.5			515.7			622.9				
43. RETAIL SALES, OTHER (excluding motor vehicles, parts, petrol, etc.) / \$ mill.	921.9	974.9	*1,051.1	*1,128.3	*1,197.1	*1965 *1966		263.5 278.3		268.8 286.1			280.5			352.2				
44. NEW MOTOR CARS AND STATION WAGONS REGISTERED '000	215.9	284.9	329.3	347.5	308.1	1965 1966	24.0 20.6	25.7 22.7	32.2 26.8	29.6 25.7	30.9 28.1	29.9 24.6	30.5 25.0	31.5 26.5	24.2 25.6	22.6 25.6	24.7	26.1		
45. OTHER NEW MOTOR VEHICLES REGISTERED (b) '000	52.1	60.1	70.8	73.5	75.4	1965 1966	4.6 4.6	4.9 5.5	6.0 6.3	5.4 5.3	6.6 5.8	6.0 6.3	7.1 6.3	8.4 6.2	7.4 6.2	6.3 5.8	6.3	6.1		
46. NEW TRACTORS SOLD FOR AGRICULTURAL PURPOSES No.	15,632	16,741	21,622	18,768	*16,897	1965 1966		3,962 4,240			4,357 *4,312			4,003			4,342			
47. INSTALMENT CREDIT for retail sales, non-retail finance businesses, BALANCES OUTSTANDING (c) \$ mill.	756.3	832.1	939.2	1,050.3	*1,067.2	1965 1966	1,029.0 1,085.7	1,028.2 1,075.2	1,029.4 1,070.1	1,034.9 *1,071.6	1,042.6 *1,070.9	1,050.3 *1,067.2	1,057.1 *1,063.3	1,069.3 *1,062.0	1,074.5 *1,065.6	1,078.6 *1,075	1,083.2 1,075	1,089.2		
48. TELEVISION VIEWERS' LICENCES, NEW ISSUES (d) '000	288.4	293.1	269.6	(d)292.6	262.6	1965 1966	16.3 17.0	19.8 20.2	21.0 22.6	(d)22.8 17.6	28.8 23.9	29.9 23.5	27.3 26.5	26.3 22.4	24.6 22.4	20.3	20.2	19.1		

(a) Weighted average. Excludes rural. (b) Other new vehicles includes utilities, vans, trucks, etc. (c) At end of month. Amounts financed in new agreements made were: May, 1966 \$56.5 million; June, 1966 \$52.7 million; July, 1966 \$51.6 million; August, 1966 \$58.4 million; September, 1966 \$56.2 million. (d) From 1st April, 1965 includes new issues of television viewers' licences and new issues of combined television viewers' and broadcast listeners' licences. * Preliminary. \ddagger Revised. \dagger Items 39-43 exclude Northern Territory and Australian Capital Territory.



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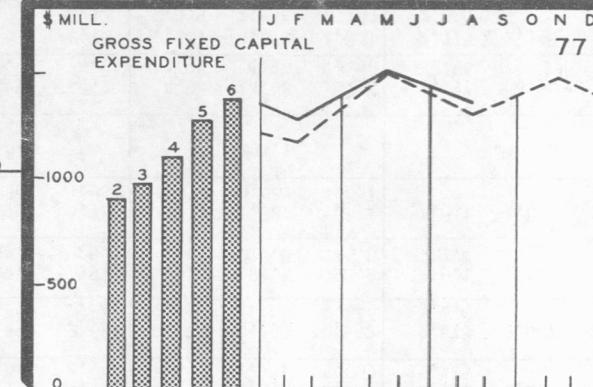
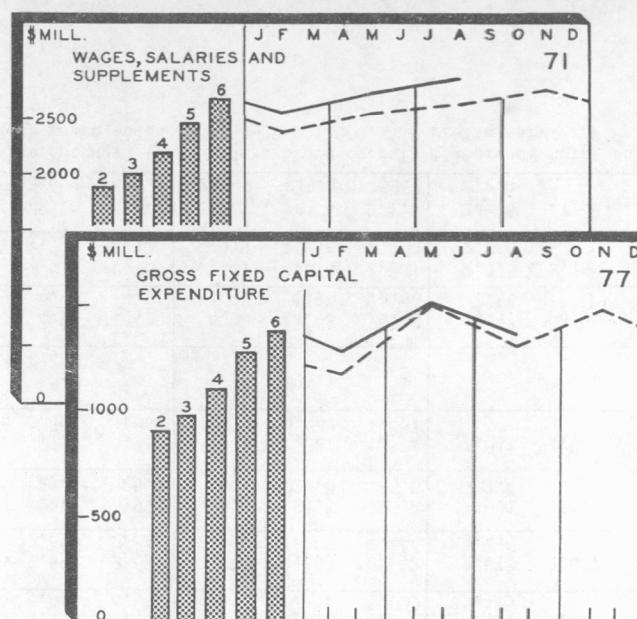
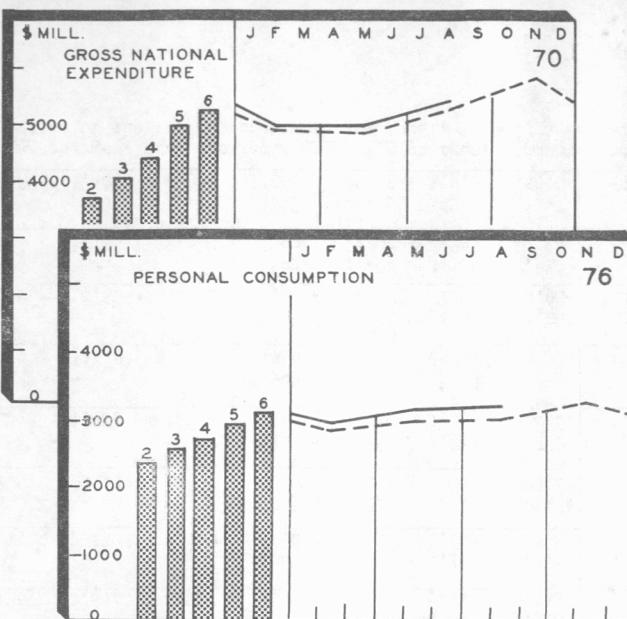
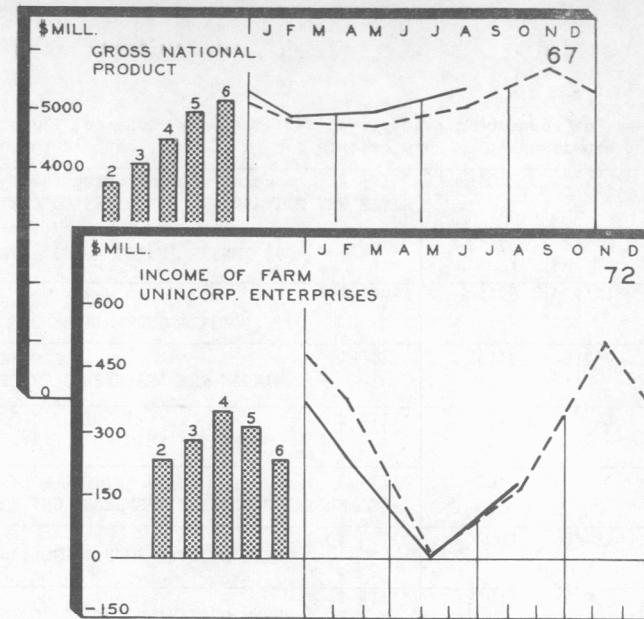
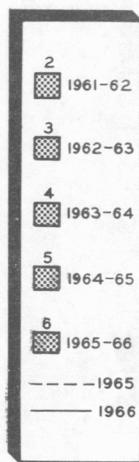


	1961-62	1962-63	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66		Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	
BUILDING, ETC.																			
49. BUILDING APPROVALS \$ mill.	1,172.5	1,316.4	1,573.5	1,791.4	1,734.0		1965 1966	133.8 90.2	136.3 118.5	163.3 158.1	139.4 115.3	154.5 154.4	173.0 181.3	151.6 157.2	160.5 149.1	166.8 144.5	156.7 160.9	150.2 150.2	130.4
50. BUILDING APPROVALS, HOUSES AND FLATS '000 units	84.8	94.4	116.4	122.8	110.1		1965 1966	7.4 5.9	9.0 8.1	10.7 10.4	9.6 8.6	10.4 10.3	11.1 10.0	9.6 10.3	10.0 11.6	10.6 10.4	9.5 11.3	8.9 8.2	
51. GOVERNMENT BUILDING APPROVED \$ mill.	281.5	312.0	411.9	411.1	420.1		1965 1966	32.2 16.4	26.4 19.9	32.8 36.1	29.6 28.1	35.3 29.6	46.0 57.8	39.1 36.4	47.8 35.5	41.4 34.6	39.3 39.8	30.4 34.3	
52. BUILDINGS COMMENCED, TOTAL \$ mill.	1,087.7	1,154.9	1,414.7	1,616.4	1,620.8		1965 1966	445.9 394.5			399.1 406.1			448.7			371.6		
53. HOUSES AND FLATS COMMENCED '000 units	82.5	88.3	107.6	116.7	107.2		1965 1966	29.1 25.4			28.2 28.1			28.7 28.4			25.0		
54. BUILDINGS, OTHER THAN HOUSES AND FLATS, COMMENCED \$ mill.	527.5	542.9	651.4	753.5	775.8		1965 1966	227.5 192.6			188.3 182.9			223.3			177.0		
55. CAPITAL EXPENDITURE BY PRIVATE BUSINESSES Buildings and Structures (a) \$ mill.	338.4	381.4	413.3	465.7	Ø583.9		1965 1966	98.2 (239.9 anticipated) 118.3 (305.4 anticipated)	138.8 Ø157.3					149.4 (317.4 anticipated) *146.3	158.9				
56. CAPITAL EXPENDITURE BY PRIVATE BUSINESSES Other Capital Equipment (a) \$ mill.	652.0	684.2	730.2	972.5	Ø1,177.4		1965 1966	210.6 (491.9 anticipated) 270.4 (581.3 anticipated)	295.0 Ø304.3					286.4 (568.2 anticipated) *278.2	316.3				
FINANCE																			
57. DEPOSITS, SAVINGS BANKS \$ mill.	3,470	3,940	4,476	4,887	5,254		1965 1966	4,749 5,085	4,783 5,142	4,782 5,118	4,758 5,102	4,786 5,141	4,887 5,254	4,922 5,308	4,968 5,356	4,994 5,391	5,034 5,448	5,065	5,066
58. HOUSING LOANS, SAVINGS BANKS \$ mill.	679	794	998	1,185	1,359		1965 1966	1,105 1,268	1,116 1,277	1,135 1,297	1,145 1,308	1,156 1,322	1,185 1,359	1,198 1,369	1,209 1,385	1,225 1,399	1,235 1,409	1,245	1,264
59. DEPOSITS, MAJOR TRADING BANKS \$ mill.	3,613	3,808	4,185	4,674	4,927		1965 1966	4,750 5,049	4,875 5,223	4,900 5,153	4,826 5,096	4,736 5,010	4,746 4,993	4,652 4,938	4,678 4,984	4,705 5,029	4,778 5,125	4,866	4,979
60. ADVANCES, MAJOR TRADING BANKS \$ mill.	2,004	2,121	2,213	2,430	2,709		1965 1966	2,361 2,666	2,342 2,643	2,398 2,698	2,524 2,792	2,594 2,819	2,631 2,845	2,675 2,901	2,666 2,866	2,652 2,866	2,678 2,915	2,677	2,661
61. NEW AND INCREASED LENDING COMMITMENTS, MAJOR TRADING BANKS \$ mill.	20.0	22.0	22.5	21.7	22.8		1965 1966	17.6 22.1	23.2 20.3	20.8 24.6	25.4 24.5	22.7 25.5	19.5 25.3	20.4 28.6	21.5 Ø26.8	20.2 25.8	19.1 27.4	21.1	20.4
62. FINANCE COMPANIES, BALANCES OUTSTANDING (c) \$ mill.	(b)	(b)	(b)	1,783	1,864		1965 1966	1,754 1,850	1,759 1,851	1,772 1,848	1,784 1,858	1,793 1,865	1,783 1,864	1,813 1,874	1,822 1,882	1,834 1,887	1,841	1,849	1,864
63. LISTED COMPANIES, NEW MONEY RAISED \$ mill.	351.6	334.6	288.6	Ø316.8	Ø327.0		1965 1966	57.6 Ø59.1			68.7 Ø74.8			Ø91.1			Ø102.0		
64. COMMONWEALTH BOND YIELD, SHORT DATED per cent.	4.59	4.21	3.92	4.66	4.98		1965 1966	4.50 4.98	4.63 4.99	4.98 4.98	4.98 4.99	4.98 4.97	4.95 4.94	4.98 4.98	4.98 4.97	4.98 4.96	4.97 4.96	4.98	4.96
65. SHARE PRICE INDEX, SYDNEY (d)	2,949	2,988	3,254	3,123	2,826		1965 1966	3,208 2,902	3,136 2,945	2,934 2,814	2,852 2,827	2,836 2,784	2,785 2,786	2,787 2,859	2,874 2,838	2,807 2,781	2,778 2,800	2,798	2,807
66. TAXATION REVENUE, COMMONWEALTH AND STATE Consolidated Revenue Funds \$ mill.	3,078	3,146	3,518	4,107	4,523		1965 1966	270.5 291.9	349.1 359.4	413.1 455.0	645.1 671.7	495.8 566.2	537.3 619.8	266.7 248.9	253.4 249.1	221.1 Ø253.3	245.6 *272.0	277.8	294.3

(a) See notes, page 12. (b) Not available.

(c) Contracts including charges, plus contracts excluding charges. Amounts shown are intended to provide a broad overall measure of total balances outstanding; however, movements may be affected by changes in the proportion of the two components to the total.

(d) Average, three years ended June, 1939 = 1,000. * Preliminary. Ø Revised.



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67. GROSS NATIONAL PRODUCT	\$ mill.	14,940	16,197	17,955	19,649	Ø20,511	1965	4,773		4,712	4,940		Ø5,028	Ø5,348		Ø5,666	
68. plus IMPORTS OF GOODS AND SERVICES	\$ mill.	Ø2,204	Ø2,620	Ø2,866	Ø3,474	Ø3,625	1965	Ø867		Ø923	Ø853		Ø995	913		Ø926	
69. less EXPORTS OF GOODS AND SERVICES	\$ mill.	Ø2,469	Ø2,494	Ø3,163	Ø3,049	Ø3,148	1966	Ø760		Ø786	Ø817		Ø766	824		Ø795	
70. GROSS NATIONAL EXPENDITURE	\$ mill.	Ø14,675	Ø16,323	Ø17,658	Ø20,074	Ø20,988	1965	Ø4,880		Ø4,849	Ø4,976		Ø5,257	5,437		Ø5,797	
71. WAGES, SALARIES AND SUPPLEMENTS	\$ mill.	7,639	8,064	8,795	9,813	Ø10,581	1966	2,360		2,522	Ø2,683		Ø2,604	2,819		Ø2,749	
72. INCOME OF FARM UNINCORPORATED ENTERPRISES	\$ mill.	926	1,106	1,388	1,246	920	1965	382		12			167			512	
73. OTHER PERSONAL INCOME	\$ mill.	Ø3,234	Ø3,423	Ø3,780	Ø4,069	Ø4,320	1965	Ø912		Ø1,141	Ø1,207		Ø1,006	1,097		1,125	
74. less INCOME TAX PAYABLE and estate and gift duties	\$ mill.	1,099	1,210	1,409	1,637	Ø1,757	1966	392		392	Ø436		411	457		Ø499	
75. PERSONAL DISPOSABLE INCOME	\$ mill.	Ø10,700	Ø11,383	Ø12,554	Ø13,491	Ø14,064	1965	Ø3,262		Ø3,283	Ø3,460		Ø3,366	3,638		Ø3,887	
76. PERSONAL CONSUMPTION	\$ mill.	9,568	10,249	11,015	11,848	Ø12,469	1966	2,842		Ø3,011	Ø3,166		Ø3,034	3,195		Ø3,287	
77. GROSS FIXED CAPITAL EXPENDITURE	\$ mill.	Ø3,634	Ø3,939	Ø4,428	Ø5,123	Ø5,562	1965	1,171		Ø1,495	Ø1,503		1,315	1,359		Ø1,464	

EXPLANATORY NOTES

For further details of these items see publications listed on page 13

Item	Publication Reference No. (Page 13)	Item	Publication Reference No. (Page 13)
1.		16,21	44,45. Registrations recorded by the registration authorities. Includes all government-owned vehicles other than Defence Services. ..
2.		21	46. Excludes wheel tractors of 15 horsepower or less and crawler tractors of 3,000 pounds weight or less e.g. small garden tractors. ..
3.		21	47. Figures relate to balances outstanding (including hiring charges and insurance) at end of period in respect of retail sales made by finance businesses which are not themselves retailers. Amounts financed - new agreements made exclude hiring charges, insurance and retailers' subsidiaries. ..
4.		21,22	48. From 1st April, 1965 figures include new issues of television viewers' licences and new issues of combined television viewers' and broadcast listeners' licences. ..
5.		21,26	49,50. Building permits issued by local government authorities and contracts let, work commenced and day labour projects authorized by government authorities. Number of houses and flats relate to individual living units. ..
6.		21,24	51. Contracts let, work commenced and day labour projects authorized by government authorities for their own use, the use of their employees, rental or sale. ..
7.		21,23	52. Estimated value of buildings on completion, excluding land. ..
8.		21,27	53. Excludes conversions to flats. ..
9.			54. See 52 above. ..
10.			55,56. Statistics are from returns showing actual expenditure for each quarter and anticipated expenditure for next half-year, obtained from private businesses subject to Pay-roll Tax (other than rural, professional, gas and electricity), from government banks and airlines, and from other businesses undertaking projects of more than \$500,000 in any half year. Figures with slightly different coverage are available for years 1953-54 to 1956-57 inclusive. ..
11.		21,25	57. Deposits at end of period - all savings banks ..
12.		15	58. Housing loans outstanding at end of period, all savings banks. ..
13.		10	59,60. Monthly and annual averages of weekly figures of the Major Trading Banks, (the Commonwealth Trading Bank and the seven private trading banks). ..
14.			61. For annual figures, average for 52 weeks ending second Wednesday in July; for monthly figures, weekly average for period ending second Wednesday of month. The series comprises new and increased lending commitments for both overdrafts and term loans entered into by major trading banks (commitments in respect of temporary loans to woolbuyers are excluded). Source: Reserve Bank of Australia. ..
15.			62. At end of period. Covers main types of lending by Finance Companies in Australia, comprising instalment credit for retail sales, wholesale hire purchase, other consumer and commercial loans and factoring. In so far as they provide instalment credit for retail sales the Finance Companies are also included in 41, Instalment Credit for Retail Sales. ..
16-17.		18	63. Companies listed on Australian stock exchanges. New Money Raised is the net amount of cash transferred from the investing public to the issuing companies through the issues of shares, debentures, notes and similar securities and the acceptance of deposits. The investing public includes banks and life insurance companies (except when subscribing to issues by associated companies) and government and private superannuation funds, but excludes other government agencies. ..
18.		20	64. Theoretical 2 year securities. Average for the week is centred on the last Wednesday of the month. Income subject to Commonwealth Taxation less rebate of 10 cents per dollar. Source: Reserve Bank of Australia. ..
19-20.		1	65. Average of monthly prices per \$2 of paid-up capital, 75 companies, adjusted for changes in capital structure. As published by Deputy Commonwealth Statistician, Sydney. ..
21.		12	66. Excludes taxation collections paid direct to Trust Funds, e.g. Motor Taxes. ..
22,24-26.			67-77. For references to concepts see "Australian National Accounts, National Income and Expenditure, 1948-49 to 1964-65", published April, 1966. ..
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3. Banking Statement - Preliminary				"	21. Production Statistics, Bulletin ..				"
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15. Meat Industry Statistical Bulletin				monthly	33. Tractors New : Receipts, Sales and Stocks ..				quarterly
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